

## **New Linden Hill Road Working Group**

### **Minutes**

**Monday, July 15, 2002, 9 a.m.**

**Skyline United Methodist Church**

#### **ATTENDEES:**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Agency</u></b>
<b>David Sokola</b>	State Senator
Mary Dugan	Senator Sokola's Office
Pam Maier	State Representative
Joseph Miro	State Representative
Kathy Julian	Clearview
Daniel Bove	Creek Landing
Leslie Darden	Deacons Walk
John Obrien	Drummond Ridge
Dorothy Schukraft	Skyline Drive
Paul & Cathy Lanshe	Skyline Ridge
Bud Freel	DelDOT
Kelly Pitts	DelDOT
Chris Costello	DelDOT
David Damiani	DelDOT
Jim Satterfield	DelDOT

#### **Project Update:**

The project is currently on schedule, and should be completed by the end of November. A-Del Construction is completing paving and will begin work in the intersections at each end of the job within the next couple of days. Traffic will be switched to its Phase II pattern within the next week or two, which will affect changes in some turning movements.

Delaware State Police has been enforcing speeding in the work zone, and has been asked to continue.

#### **Questions and Discussion:**

- The question was asked why construction wasn't taking place at the Polly Drummond Shopping Center. Chris responded by informing the group that because of the traffic congestion and narrow lane widths in that particular area, DelDOT decided to save that area until the traffic switch. The traffic island was taken out to provide more room for work, but will be replaced before the project ends. The contractor will be working on more drainage work by the shopping center.
- A question followed about traffic pattern during Phase II. Two lanes will be maintained on the side of the roadway just completed. The concrete where the work is now taking place will be broken up, and a new road constructed in its place.
- It was also asked whether the speed limit could be reduced at Upper Pike Creek Road during construction. Chris will be checking into this matter.

**Action items:**

- Chris will check to see if the speed limit can be reduced at Upper Pike Creek Road.
- Chris will check with the Department about the striping pattern at Videre Dr. during Phase II of the project.
- Chris will be contacting DelDOT's Traffic Section about the final configuration and striping at Upper Pike Creek Rd., where the original intent is to have a single lane of traffic for both through traffic and turning traffic.

***For questions or comments you may contact:***

Area Engineer: Chris Costello, 323-4460

Project Supervisor: Charlie Leary, 456-9926

External Affairs: Bud Freel, 577-5100

External Affairs: Kelly Pitts, 760-2080

***NEXT MEETING, Monday, August 19, 2002  
9 a.m. at Skyline United Methodist Church***